



### Amendments to the Abstract

Please amend the abstract of the application as shown below.

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The invention provides a process for the production of L-amino acids, in particular L-threonine, in which ~~the following steps are performed:~~ a) bacteria of the Enterobacteriaceae family are fermented. The bacteria are engineered to overexpress the galactose permease gene

- a) ~~fermentation of microorganisms from the Enterobacteriaceae family, in which the galP gene or nucleotide sequences coding for that are overexpressed and which produce the desired L-amino acid;~~
- b) ~~enrichment of the desired L-amino acid in the medium or in cells of the bacteria and~~
- e) ~~isolation of the desired L-amino acid.~~